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AN ACT Relating to eliminating the authority of the department of ecology to appeal pollution control hearings board decisions regarding water quality certifications required by the federal clean water act;

4 and amending RCW 43.21B.180.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

6 **Sec. 1.** RCW 43.21B.180 and 1994 c 253 s 6 are each amended to read 7 as follows:

(1) Judicial review of a decision of the hearings board may be obtained only pursuant to RCW 34.05.510 through 34.05.598. Except as provided in subsection (2) of this section, the director shall have the same right of review ((from)) of a decision made pursuant to RCW

12 43.21B.110 as does any person.

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13 (2) The director has no right of review of a hearings board

14 <u>decision based on department decisions made under federal delegation of</u>

15 <u>authority</u> and regarding certifications required by the federal clean

16 <u>water act (33 U.S.C. Sec. 1341).</u>

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